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COMMITTEE WILL PLAN CELEBRATION

MEMBERS ASK SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLDIER'S REUNION

MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

Arrangements and Costs Will Be Discussed at Rooms of Chamber of Commerce

Active work on plans for the Soldier's Reunion and Centennial Celebration to be held in Maryville September 7 and 8 will be begun at the first meeting of a committee on arrangements at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 7:30 o'clock Friday night.

The committee on arrangements was appointed by Persident R. P Hosmer at the meeting Monday night of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce. It is composed of the following men and women:

G. L. Wilfley, the Rev. Joseph Cooper Ed W. Keck, Fred R. Wolfers, Paul Sisson, Charles Hyslop, Dr. E. C. Braniger, H. L. Raines, Mrs. E. G. Orear, Miss Blanche Dow, Mrs. J. B. Robinson and Mrs. Will Montgomery.

The duty of the committee on arrangements is to make plans for the two days, estimate the cost of the celebration planned and report to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, which was made an executive committee for the celebration at the meeting of representatives of various fraternal and patriotic organizations held several weeks ago. sub-committees that the members of

After the preliminary plans have been drawn, a finance committee will be appointed to raise funds, and any sub-committees found necessary will be appointed. It is on these subcommittees that the members of the big general committee will be called upon to serve.

All suggestions for the two-day celebration should be submitted to members of the committee on arrangements or to the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WOOL TO BE MABE INTO CLOTH

Product Pooled at St. Joseph May Be Manufactured and Then Sold

It is planned to have the wool of the northwest Missouri wool pool manufactured into blankets, robes and cloth, accordin to John McDaniel, of Savannah, district manager. Mr. McDaniel reports that the quality of the wool now coming in is good and it is being graded at the rate of 8,000 pounds a day. There are now 45,000 pounds on hand in the warehouse at Fourth and Jackson strets in St.Joseph.

GRAGG FORD CAR FOUND BY FARMER NEAR TARKIO

Automobile Stolen From in Front of The Baptist Church at Clearmount Found Monday

The Ford touring car belonging to James Gragg of Clearmont which was stolen from in front of the Baptist Church at Clearmont while the services were being conducted Sunday night, was found Monday morning on the side of the road near Tarkio, Mo.

A farmer living nearby found the car and reported to the Sheriff at Rock Port, Mo. The numbers were found to correspond with the Gragg car and it was returned to the owner. The car was but slightly damaged. No clues have been found as to the thieves and the farmer did not know when the car was left near his place.

Electric Theatre

Last Time Tonight:
VERA GORDON, the "mother of Humoresque" in
"THE GREATEST LOVE"
One of the biggest and best pictures of the season. Also a comedy. Night 7:30 and 9:00 —11c and 22c.

Thursday and Friday, July 14 and 15—
May Allison in the
"MARRIAGE OF WILLIAM ASHE." It is full of gripping thrills. Matinee at 3:00—11c and 22c; night 7:30 and 9:00—11c and 22c.

PRINTERS ISSUE BASEBALL CHALLENGE TO CLOTHIERS

Twilight League Is Suggested to Take Place of Unsuccessful Sunday Games.

Attempts having failed to provide fans with high class baseball weekly, agitation has been started this week to organize a twilight league, in which pick-up nines from the various business houses will engage in the national pastime after working hours.

The first game will be held Friday evening between the Scribes and the Clothiers. The Scribes are composed of players from the two local newspapers and the Clothiers are players from Montgomery-Commins, Corwin-Murrin, and Joe Cohn. Although the promoters cannot promise the highest grade of ball, there will be lots of fun and a great deal of perspiration.

Any store or business house that wishes to enter the twilight league can do so by presenting the name of their team to this office. The Bankers are expected to be early entrants.

A nominal admission fee will probably be charged to cover cost of baseball and doctors' fees on broken fingers and noses.

SEASON TICKETS GO ON SALE AT BANKS

H. W. HULL DIRECTS DISTRIBUTION FOR CHAUTAUQUA

BUT THREE WEEKS OFF

Course of High Class Popular Entertainment Opens August 5. Ends August 11.

With the opening of Chautauqua but three weeks and two days off, season tickets for the seven days of entertainment will go on sale at once. They will be placed in the four banks of the city, where the guarantors and them at once. Then when the Redothers are asked to call and secure path-Vawter Company sends a representative the campaign to dispose of the tickets will start in earnest.

H. W. Hull has charge of the selling of tickets. He will choose assistants later.

The guarantors who met Monday morning decided to hold the Chautauqua on the High School grounds again this year. The programs have been financially successful each year that they have been held there

The amount guaranteed the Red path-Vawter Company is $1,800. The adult tickets will be sold for $2.25 and the children's tickets for $1. War tax will be collected at the gate. An intensive campaign of publicity, advertising and ticket sales will be begun soon to arouse interest in Maryville and the surrounding country. Window cards, posters, banners, flags and other decorations will be displayed, telling of the various attractions of the Chautauqua.

A season ticket to the Chautauqua will provide seven days of amusement at an average cost per performance of about eleven cents. The program includes some exceptionally good musical numbers and several prominent lecturers. It will pay to buy a season ticket, even if only a few of the numbers are attended.

The guarantors of this year's chautauqua are especially urged by Mr. Hull to call at the banks and get the tickets they will need. A house-to-house personal canvass will probably be made later.

The dates of Chautauqua are August 5 to 11, inclusive.

JOSEPH SCHAEFER DIES AT PARISH HOUSE TODAY

Funeral Services Will Be Held at 9 O'Clock Tomorrow Morning at St. Mary's Church

Joseph Schaefer, age 89, died at 10 o'clock last night at St. Mary's Parish House from a complication of diseases. Mr. Schaefer has made his home with a daughter, Miss Mary Schaefer, housekeeper at St. Mary's Parish House, since the death of his wife in 1908.

Funeral services will be held at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. Mary's church conducted by the Rev. Fr. Pius. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mr. Schaefer is survived by two daughters, Miss Mary of Maryville, Mrs. Joseph Toby of York, Neb., and two sons, Benjamin Schaefer of Maryville and Joseph Schaefer of Nebraska. He is also survived by a sister, Sister Eugena of Oldenburg, Ind.

500 HAVE PERFECT DAY AT CLARINDA

MEN'S BIBLE CLASS ENJOYS FRUITS OF VICTORY

LOSE AT BASEBALL, 8-7

Iowans Find Some Solace in Drubbing Newlon's Team—Movies to be Shown Here Sunday.

Almost 500 excited, peppy boosters from the men's Bible class of the First Christian Church went to Clarinda yesterday to be entertained and fed by the men's class of the Christian Church of that city. At 1 o'clock a procession of 100 cars left from in front of the church and arrived at Clarinda about 3 o'clock.

Arriving at Clarinda, a parade was formed and the Maryville band played as the cars circled the square and drove out to the picnic ground.

Upon arriving at the grounds a ball game was played between teams composed of members of the two classes, Clarinda winning 8 to 7. The local line-up was as follows: Williams, catcher; K. U. Kelly, pitcher; Butcher, first base; Linninger, second base; Bland shortstop; Tallman, third base.

Several of the men who will take part in the Frontier celebration at Clarinda next week gave exhibitions of riding bucking horses and trick and fancy riding.

The lake was open all day to the visitors and nearly everyone engaged in swimming and boating.

At 7 o'clock mess call was sounded and the "hungry mob" ate beef and beans, salad, ice cream and cake and drank lemonade until the supply was completely exhausted.

After supper the crowd assembled and the Clarinda orchestra and the Maryville band played for about thirty minutes.

The Rev. James A. Burns, Christian minister at Clarinda, introduced the speakers of the evening and gave the address of welcome. He said Maryville had won from Clarinda in a fair and square way and that if his class of men could not be happy winners, at least they could be good losers.

The main speaker of the evening was the Rev. Arthur Long of the Baptist church of Atchison, Kan. His subject was, "The Men of the World of Gallilee."

The Rev. R. E. Snodgrass then gave the Maryville report of the contest and told how the local men had organized and put it across. After the talk by the Rev. Mr. Snodgrass, the moving pictures of the contest were shown by F. R. Marcell. These pictures were taken all through the contest, and, with those taken yesterday, will be shown at the Christian Church Sunday night.

E. E. Stickleman, of Maryville, pronounced the benediction and the great day was over.

The men had no trouble making the trip home, except between Wilcox and Maryville, where roads were muddy and slippery from rain which fell after the delegation left here. There was no rain west of Wilcox.

MERCURY HOVERS AROUND 93 AND WE STILL SWELTER

The Mercury stood at 93 today at noon, according to the official weatherman, J. R. Brink. It was also 93 yesterday. The mercury apparently has intense liking for dizzy heighths, for the maximum temperature has been below 90 degrees so few times during the last four weeks, that it is difficult to remember just when or whether it really ever was below 90 degrees.

NO MIDWEEK SERVICE TONIGHT AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

No midweek service will be held at the First Christian Church tonight. It was not possible to secure a visiting minister for tonight.

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ICE CREAM
40c a quart.

It is made from pure Maryville cream. You'll like it and you'll come back for more.

CANDYLAND
216 North Main

WANTED.
To do your hauling; have a large truck.
J. M. HANTZE
Han. 4484 Farmers 52-15

COLLEGE STUDENTS PLAY WITH FACULTY TOMORROW

Hold Annual Festival and Fete Day Preceding Y. W. C. A. Program On College Campus

Students and faculty of the State Teachers' College will hold their picnic festival and fete day tomorrow. The fun will begin about the middle of the afternoon with a joint program by the three literary societies in the auditorium at 3 o'clock.

A varied program of festivities and games will occupy the afternoon until time for "chow", which will be served by the College cafeteria at minimum cost.

A menu of sliced meat loaf, bread and butter sandwich, pimento cheese sandwich, potato salad, pickles, orange and ice cream cone will be served to each picnicker at a cost of thirty cents.

After the feed the students and faculty will play together until time for the band concert and Y. W. C. A. Japanese lawn fete on the campus in front of the main building. The public is invited to the lawn fete, the program for which was announced yesterday.

A special assembly will be held at 9:35 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the students will meet by counties.

DISOBEDIENT MEMBER IS OUSTED BY DIRECTORS

S. P. C. R. A. Governing Body Votes To Join National Society and Provides for Banquet.

I. C. Higginbotham of Gregory South Dakota was dropped from the Standard Poland-china Record Association today when the board of directors met and acted upon the recommendation submitted by the executive committee last June 10. Higginbotham sold some hogs and then refused to furnish the pedigrees for them, it was charged. He also had some recording done and failed to pay the recording fees.

After the routine work of checking up and approving of reports had been finished, the board decided to take membership in the National Society of Record Associations of Chicago and requested Frank Garreet, secretary to draw up a resolution and send to the secretary of the National Society of Records Associations approving of their business methods.

It was also decided to hold the annual banquet for the members of the Standard Poland-China Record Association here in January, and arrangements were made for the local association to pay the expenses.

The members who attended today were: W. O. Garrett, Maryville; S. McKelvie, Fairfield, Neb.; N. I. Staples, Burlington Junction; James Kennish, Mound City; J. M. Andrews, Lawson, and H. C. McKelvie, Lincoln, Nebr.

Members of the board of directors who were absent today were: P. J. Daws, Hiawatha, Kansas; L. R. McClarnon, Braddyville, Iowa; O. E. Wade, Rising City, Mo.

JOINT MIDWEEK SERVICE AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Methodist and Presbyterian congregations will have their midweek service together at the Presbyterian Church tonight at 8 o'clock.

The subject will be "Special Lesnumber have been studying the epsons from the Epistle of James". A istle carefully and they will be expected to contribute to the discussion the lessons they have discovered.

Justice Suit Appealed

A suit to receive payment of a note of $235, and interest was appealed this morning to the circuit court from the court of Judge Stratford, justice of Monroe township.

R. Q. Brown, county agent at Charleston, has announced plans for a series of fertilizer demonstrations to be held near Charleston this fall.

JAPANESE LAWN FETE
Thursday evening, July 14
7:30.
State Teachers College Campus
Given by the Y. W. C. A. of the college. The regular weekly band concert will be held on the college campus in addition to the program that has been planned. Student booths will serve ice cream, candy, etc. The general public is invited to attend. A silver offering will be taken.

CHILDREN RECITE BIBLE PASSAGES

D. V. B. S. PUPILS DISPLAY KNOWLEDGE OF SCRIPTURES

A SCHOOL NEXT YEAR

Large Crowds Hears Little Ones Give Books of Old Testament Backward.

Can you name the books of the Old Testament? Can you turn around and give them backward? Can you tell the passages of the Bible in which the Beatitudes are found?

These things and more the children of the Daily Vacation Bible School did in their closing exercises last night before a large audience at the First Presbyterian church.

The children marched in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers." Then followed a song period, prayer and the memory work period. The children recited a great many verses and passages and ended up by naming the books of the Old Testament backwards, as well as forwards. This brought much applause, and many in the audience said afterward that they could have answered very few of the things the children had learned so well.

Miss Mary MacLeod then took charge and demonstrated the regular recreation period. The children first played the "Swing" game, and then a relay game. Miss MacLeod has had charge of this work and is a great favorite with the children. The Baptist church lawn was loaned during the school and was very suitable, being shady much of the morning.

Miss Mary Lewis' kindergarten group recited their memory verses, and Aurene Spencer the Twenty-third Psalm. The Junior-Intermediate group followed with the Beatitudes. Miss Craig's group then presented a dramatization of the story of Queen Esther, in five scenes.

The presentation of certificates for attendance at this, the First Daily Vacation Bible School of Maryville, was the last number. After this the audience poured into the school room to inspect the craft work of both the boys and girls. Especial interest was attracted by the big pile of twine for hammock making, and wooden needles, under the caption, "Ready for Next Year." Many comments as to the quality and the number of things made were heard. Almost all of the toys the boys made wilfl be sent to some children's home.

"It is our intention to hold another school next year, if we possibly can," said the Rev. S. P. Allison. "We have a number of experienced leaders now, and a good start on equipment. Many of the children have said they wished the school would run all summer and have asked about plans for next year. We will try not to disappoint them."

The pictures taken will be on display at the Bee Hive Shoe Store by Jim Carpenter. Those ordered can be secured there in about two days.

The first day's enrollment was 27, and the final enrollment 68, an increase of about 250 per cent. This growth was due entirely to a spread of interest among the children. The enrollment was practically all a spontaneuos response to the announcement of the school. No solicitation at all was done save in one or two Presbyterian families, and every

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MRS. SARAH BAKER DIES FUNERAL SERVICES FRIDAY

Death Comes at Daughter's Home in Barnard—Would have Been 91 Years Old August 17.

Mrs. Sarah Baker, a resident of Nodaway County for seventy years, died at 9:20 o'clock this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. D. McGuire, with whom she lived. Mrs. Baker is known to Barnard residents as "Grandma Baker" would have been 91 years old on August 17. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. She had been in failing health for several years but was bedfast only a week.

Funeral services for Mrs. Baker will be held at 2 o'clock Friday morning at the Barnard Methodist church. Burial will be in the Barnard cemetery.

Mrs. Baker was born in Ohio coming to this county when a young women. She is survived by two children, Mrs. S. D. McGuire and Joseph Baker, both of Barnard. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. M. D. Harmon of Pickering and six grandchildren.

ELMO PLANS THREE DAYS OF FUN FOR EVERYONE

Farmers, American Legion Boys and Fraternal Organizations to Be Especially Honored

Elmo citizens are planning to hold their annual picnic this year on August 30 to September 1. Three days of fun are being planned by the I. O. O. F. under whose auspices it will be given. A committee composed of D. D. Hutchings, R. Orville Hallsa, John Smith and Z. T. Van Sickle will meet tomorrow night to make definite arrangements.

The picnic is to be more elaborate than any yet held there. The first day has been named Farmer's Day. There will be a barbecue, speaking, music, many free attractions and other forms of amusement which have not yet been planned. Another day will be Fraternal Day. Special speakers will be engaged and a parade will be a feature. The third day will be American Legion Day, similar to a soldier's reunion, the plans which have not been definitely decided upon.

The picnic will be held at Ferguson Park.

DRAINAGE DITCH TO COST $240,351

COMMISSIONERS FILE REPORT ON PLATTE RIVER PROJECT.

MAY FILE OBJECTIONS

Court Will Hear Complaints of Those Affected by Assessments of Benefits and Damages.

The total estimated damages and benefits for the proposed Jackson Township Drainage District is $240,351, according to the report of the commissioners, John E. Slater, Frank Walker, and W. C. Okey, filed in the circuit clerk's office this morning.

The proposed drainage district drains the Platte river bottoms and is about six miles long, beginning three miles north of Ravenwood and extending three miles south of the town. Those who were interested in the project had the plans of reclamation drawn up and presented to the court, which granted a decree on September 29, 1919, and appointed the three commissioners, who were authorized to find the number of acres assessed for benefits; the amount of benefits; number of acres to be taken for the right- of-way; value of property to be taken and the damages.

"The main trouble has just begun, with the filing of the report," says G. H. Westfall, circuit clerk, "because this property which is assessed will be described in the papers and those who are dissatisfied with the damages given them will file their objections with the circuit clerk and adjusted by the court."

The report covers the estimated cost

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COST OF SCHOOLS OF CITY $46,132

EXPENDITURES 50 PER CENT MORE THAN IN 1914-15.

TEACHERS' PAY DOUBLED

Board of Education Gives Annual Report, Which Shows Improvement in School System.

It cost more than 50 per cent more to run the Maryville school last year than it did five years ago, the annual financial statement of the Board of Education, made public today, shows.

On the other hand, the schools have been greatly improved, and the high school has more than doubled in enrollment. Receipts from tuition paid by out-of-town pupils in 1920-21 amounted to five times the total received in 1914-1915. Salaries of teachers have almost doubled.

It cost $46,132.34 to run the schools last year. Of this amount, $32,201.88 was paid to teachers, $3,345 to janitors, $175 to secretary and treasurer of the board of education, and $10,410.46 went for incidental expenses.

For the year ending June 30, 1915, the cost of running the schools was $29,008.12, of which $18,675.01 was paid to teachers and $1,989 to janitors. For 1919-20, the total expenses were $37,245.52, of which $25,357.50 was paid to teachers and $2,667.25 to janitors.

The growth which the schools, especially the High School, have made is shown by tuition figures for last year and six years ago. In 1914-15, with a tuition rate of $27 for the year, a total of $983 was collected. Last year, with the tuition increased to $5 a month in the grades and $6 a month in the high school, the total paid by out-of-town students was $4,807.38.

Total receipts from tuition, the township collector, county treasurer, and miscellaneous sources last year were $44,965.89. There was a balance in the general fund on June 30, 1920, of $4,428. 10. The balance at this time is $3,252.65, according to the report.

There was a a balance last year in the repair and maintenance fund of $1,179.25, which was entirely used up. .A balance of $865.68 in the text bood fund has likewise been totally expended.

The balance in the old bond sinking fund is reduced from $471. 71 to $418-.30, with $4,028.50 of the bonds paid off. The old bond interest fund increased from $235.86 to $385.91, and $1,000 was transferred to the sinking fund.

The Washington bond sinking fund balance is $5,592.39, and the balance in the interest fund for the same issue is $3,342.39.

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THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and probably Thursday; continued warm.

EMPIRE THEATRE TONIGHT

and Tomorrow Night
REX BEACH'S
Popular Novel
"GOING SOME."

Also Sunshine comedy tonight and Pathe News Tomorrow night.

FREE MERCHANTS' MATINEE
SATURDAY

EMPIRE THEATRE

In appreciation of your patronage the following merchants will give complimentary a ticket to the Saturday matinee with purchases made.

Farmers Trust Co.; Bee Hive Shoe Store, Home of Good Shoes; Maryville Drug Co., the Rexall Store; E. C. Phares Lumber and Hardware Co.; Stapler's Market, Quality Meats; Schumacher's Grocery, the Batavia store; Joe Cohn, the Clothier, north side square; Jack Pennington Cafe, a good place to eat.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

NODAWAY COUNTY MEN GET GOOD PRICE FOR CATTLE

Among the highly pleased patrons of the St. Joseph market today were Joe Holker and Dwight Hopple, Nodaway county, Mo., who had in a carload of cattle each that sold at prices well above what they had expected to receive. Mr. Holker had in a load of Hereford cattle of his own feeding that brought $8. Mr. Hopple cashed 26 head of mixed yearlings of ordinary quality and finish at $8.10. —Stock Yards Daily Journal.

To Clarinda

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitz and daughters, Vira and Hildred, Mrs. W. H. Kramer and daughters, Ruth and Helen motored to Clarina, yesterday morning and spent the day. Miss Vira Fitz remained for a longer visit and will be a guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. D. Kingery.

Leaves After Visit

Miss Elizabeth Abshire who has spent the past week visiting her family, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Abshire, and sister, Mrs. F. W. Steele, left today for her home at Milwaukee, Wis.

Miss Fannie Payton of Bedford, Ia., who underwent an operation about two weeks ago at the St. Francis hospital, was able to return to her home today. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Lora Payton, and the Misses Payton were guests last night at the home of Miss Epha Drumm.

Famous Aviator Dies

London, July 13.—Harry G. Hawker, the British aviator, who fell in mid-ocean in an effort to fly across the Atlantic in 1919, was killed yesterday when his plane crashed as he was alighting at Hendon.

In his trans-Atlantic attempt Hawker was picked up by a steamer and landed after he had been given up for dead.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bales of Elmo were in Maryville yesterday on business.

OLD RESIDENT OF COUNTY DIES EARLY THIS MORNING

Mrs. T. B. Neal Succumbs to Illness at Home on West First Street —No Burial Arrangements Made

Mrs. Mary E. Neal, widow of the late T. B. Neal, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning at her home, 414 West First street. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases and she had been in poor health for sometime. She was 70 years old. Mr. Neal died eleven months ago.

Funeral arrangements for Mrs. Neal will not be made until the children from a distance have been heard from, but it is possible they will be held Friday.

Mrs. Neal is survived by the following children, Mrs. Verne Wray of Maryville; Mrs. C. F. Seafers of Palistine, Tex; U. A. Neal of Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Leroy Bennett of Scotts Bluff, Neb.; Mrs. L. S. Parker of Winston, Mo. Mrs. Parker is recovering from an attack of pneumonia fever which followed an illness of summer influenza, and will be unable to attend the funeral services. Mrs. Neal is also survived by thre brothers Willis Wilcox of Parnell, Andrew Wilcox of Conception Junction, George Wilcox and Mrs. Joseph Hilgert of St. Louis. Mrs. Neal was born in Nodaway county and had lived here most of her life.

WOMEN MUST BARE EARS IS FASHIONS NEW ORDER

Chicago, Ill., July 10.—The hairdressers are at it again. Fashion has decreed that the ear must show.

Six months ago it was announced that no more would the ears remain a mystery—they were to be bared for all the world to see. Modest woman demurred. Bare her ankles or knees, wear little held up by straps over the shoulders, yes—but show her ears? NEVER.

But the hairdressed insisted. So the women compromised. And now an official of the Chicago Hairdressing Academy announces that the ears must be shown, so milady will lift the mops into little ringlets and pin them on the side of the head far above the ears.

Ice Cream Social.

The Eastern Star Order of Quitman will hold an ice cream social Saturday night in the Masonic building at Quitman.

SAYS MISSOURI NEEDS NEW ASSESSMENT LAWS

Green Township Man Says Present Statutes Allow Evasion of Taxes.

The Rev. J. W. Gammon, who is pastor of the Methodist Church at Quitman and at the same time township assessor for Green Township, says some radical changes are needed in the laws governing the making of assessments in Missouri.

"We have a very poor law in the state of Missouri on assessment," he says. "As the law now is, a man can come from Iowa or Illinois or Kansas and farm for two seasons then sell out and leave without ever having to pay any taxes.

"Suppose a man came to Nodaway County this spring. The assessors have all summer to do their work and do not have to turn in their books until next January 1. That gives the newcomer time to harvest one crop. Then after the assessments are turned in, he has until December of next year to pay his taxes. Meantime he can harvest another crop and move on."

Mr. Gammon received his books in June and turned them in to the Township Board last Wednesday, just thirty days after they were given him. A new law should provide he urges, that books be turned over to the assessors on April 1 and returned not later than July 1, and taxes based on these assessments to be paid the same year.

HERBS USED IN MEDICINES

A Manchester, England, paper urges the renewed cultivator of old fashioned medicinal herbs in English gardens. In the United States they have also gone out of fashion as a feature of the small garden, although they are imported in large quantities from Turkey, India and China, where they are grown purely for commercial purposes, as their medicinal value is recognized by many leading physicians. Tons of Medicinal herbs are used annually in the preparation of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a most successful medicine for woman's ills. It contains no narcotics or harmful drugs, and women afflicted with such ailments should try it. Adv.

Miss Matie Price of Maryville is visiting Miss Helen Pearson of St. Joseph.

FARMERS WELCOME PROBE BY CONGRESS COMMITTEE

Hearings on Agricultural Conditions Were Begun Monday—Conducted Through Farm Bureaus.

Columbia, Mo., July 13.—Congress is going to investigate agriculture!

And, contrary to the usual turn of events, the farmers of Missouri and the nation are going to see to it that the investigation is a real one.

Whereas, most industries and concerns attempt to dodge and hamper congressional investigations, the farmers are not only welcoming this move but have put in action machinery that will materially assist the committee in its work.

Arrangements are being made for a series of hearings to be held in most of the 1,000 counties in America that have Farm Bureaus organized. These hearings will be minature editions of the big hearings at Washington. In most cases the county president will preside and the executive committee of the county organization will act as the investigation committee.

County agents will, in many cases, assume the role of prosecuting attorney, conducting the direct and cross-examinations.

Leading farmers from all sections of the counties will be summoned to appear as witnesses. Efforts will be made to summon the leading grain growers, the leading dairymen, the leading cattle breeders and feeders, and, in fact, the various leaders of all kinds in the county.

Complete stenographic reports will be made of the county hearings and copies of these will be forwarded to the state and national (American) Farm Bureau Federations, where the results will be tabulated by the federations' economics experts and the whole laid before the Congressional Committee so that the committee cannot help but discover "What Ails Agriculture."

The congressional committee hearings were started Monday, July 11. The county hearings are to be held as quickly as is practicable and the results given to the committee at Washington within a month if possible so that a final report will be possible within the 60 days allotted to the committee for its deliberations.

This great nation-wide project, which is certain to gain for the farmers a lot of favorable recognition, is made possible because of the efficient Farm Bureau organizations, county, state and nation-wide.

The Congressional committee, which has been named is composed of Representative Anderson of Minnesota, chairman, Funk of Illinois, Mills of New York, TenEyck of New York and Summers of Texas, and Senators Lenroot of Wisconsin, Capper of Kansas, McNary of Oregon, Tobinson of Arkansas and Pat M. Harrison of Mississippi.

Osage Indians Rich.

The Osage Indians are one of the richest peoples in the world per capita. Recent sales at auction of thirty thousand acres of Indian reservation oil lands near Tulsa for four and one half million dollars plus a bonus of one-sixth of the oil produced was recently approved by the Interior Department.

CORNELL FUNERAL SERVICES HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services for Mrs. Charles Cornell who died at 4 o'clock yesterday morning at her home in Burlington Junction, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Burlington Junction Methodist church. Burial was in the Ohio cemetery.

Mrs. Cornell was about 24 years of age. She had been ill for a month her illness first starting from the removal of her tonsils.

John Andrews, who has been running an ice cream business in Clarinda for the past nine year, has moved to Maryville and will engage in business with his brothers, who now run the New York Candy Kitchen.

Market Saturday

The women of the First Baptist church will hold a market Saturday at Montgomery Shoe store.

Edward Tenscher of Clearmont was a business visitor yesterday.

Ben Gabbert of St. Joseph is visiting in Maryville at the home of Dr. Jesse Miller, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Allan have gone to Dearborn, Mo., for a visit with relatives and friends.

Donald Ferritor and Donald Alcy went to Shenandoah yesterday to attend the Hagenback-Wallace circus.

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To Ice Consumers of Maryville

AND SURROUNDING COUNTRY WITHIN RADIUS OF EIGHT OR TEN MILES

Owing to some criticism of the advance in the price of ice, we wish to state that in order to take care of the trade during the continuation of the extremely hot weather we are obliged to ship ice here from St. Joseph. We have received five cars at $8 per ton, f. o. b. St. Joseph, plus freight, about $2, and have a car to arrive today and two others to follow this week at $9 per ton.

This ice is bought in 300-lb cakes, which, owing to shrinkage and breakage, will weight about 250 lbs per cake on arrival. The expense of delivering from depot to plant is from $1.50 to $2.00 per ton. Expense of delivery on square in wholesale lots $2 to $3 per ton; to residents, $4 to $5 per ton.

Owing to our coupon system and obligation at today's sales at least 25 per cent of this ice is sold at 50c to 60c per hundred, fully 50 per cent at 70c to 75c per hundred and not over 25 per cent at 90c to $1 per hundred pounds. The above are estimated figures but can be verified by going over our records.

This ice is to be full weight and deliverymen have and have had full instructions to weigh the ice on any individual's scales when delivering to ice box if customer so desires, and in case of complaint to notify the office and the matter given immediate attention.

With this continued hot weather, be as economical in your ice consumption as possible, as at present the ice manufacturers are taxed to their full capacity and if this weather continues it will not be a question of price but a question of getting a full supply.

Also be as patient as possible in case the deliveryman is a little late as we are trying and always have tried to be prompt, and in order to assist us in doing so have your coupon ticket or cash on the ice box, and by all means

USE YOUR ICE CARD.

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Ice, Fuel and Feed

P. S.—Oh, yes, by the way, we have a car of bran and shorts just arrived. Price is right.

Social Gossip and Clubs

Big Lake.

The members of the choir of the First Presbyterian church and a few friends will enjoy a picnic tomorrow afternoon at Big Lake.

Primary Picnic.

The primary department of the First Methodist church and its teachers will enjoy a picnic supper tonight at College Park.

Initiated into Auxiliary.

Mrs. Jack Pennington, Mrs. E. J. Kissinger and Mrs. Harry Fisher were initiated into the Women's Auxiliary of the Seth Ray David Post Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a buisness meeting held last night in the post rooms. It was also decided to change the August meeting from the second Tuesday to the first Tuesday on account of the chautauqua, which will be held at that time.

Newlyweds Return.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Alan Montgomery returned last night from a honeymoon trip to Lake Okoboji and for a few days will visit Mrs. Montgomery's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey Sewell. After August 1, they will be at home at 524 West Fourth Street.

Baptist Social.

One hundred and fifty young people attended the social given last night at the First Baptist church as a courtesy to the students and faculty of the State Teachers' College. The affair was held on the church lawn and old fashioned games, stunts and music furnished entertainment for the evening. Those assisting in the musical program were Misses Daisy Allen, Alyce Allen, Lois Cummings, Eudora Allen and Arch Carter. Light refreshments were served.

Surprise Dinner

A surprise dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Noakes south of Hopkins Sunday noon in honor of the thirty-seventh birthday anniversary of Mr. Noakes. On the latter's return from church, he found forty-eight relatives and friends gathered at his home. Those present were the Rev. and Mrs. Hawk and son, Mr. and Mrs. Shell Garten, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wiley, Mr. and Mrs. Stant Garten and family, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Locoh and son, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Robinson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Clayton and family, Prof. and Mrs. Geyer and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Casey and family, A. H. King and family, Miss Nan Gray and W. H. Lilley all of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. George Byers, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Olmsted and family of Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. Noakes and family.

Have Picnic

The employees of the McDonald factory held their picnic last night in the basement of the factory instead of at the College park as had been planned because of the rain. Those present were Mrs. Eva Murray, Mrs. Belle Rankin, Mrs. Sally Bowman, Mrs. Ethel Coffey, Mrs. Martha Henderson, Mrs. Lizzie Hitt, Mrs. Rebecca Farmer, Mrs. Ada Hudson, Mrs. Retta Nicholas, Mrs. Edith Spurgeon, Mrs. Nettie Warren, Mrs. Ethel Egers, Mrs. Mamie Craig, Mrs. Gertrude Irwin, Mrs. Myrtle Branson, Mrs. Mary Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. W. Stiwalt, Mrs. Lucy Cordell, Mrs. Dora Cooper, Misses Florence Young, Laura Young, Hazel Gray, Orvetta Smith, Helen Riffe, Mary Rickman, Clara Tibbetts, Netie Smock, Helen Tebow, Hilda Riffe, Edna Williams, Myrtle Porter, Edna Nicholas, Viola Jones, Mildred and Lois Cummings, Sylvia Frazee, Bernice Cast, Louise and Pauline Kroetch, Lucy Sturm, Elizabeth Doran, Mollie and Lou Henderson, Mary Irwin, Anna Lattin, Lola Coulter, Edna Coulter, Clara Heitman, Maggie Allen, Vera McDowell, Ola Zimmerman, Bertha Anderson, Permelia Eads and John Lattin.

Wesleyan Class Picnic

A very enjoyable picnic was held last night at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte by the members of the Wesleyan Bible class of the First Methodist church and their families. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stilwell and two sons, Mrs. O. L. Curl and children, Besse, Mary, Oliver, William and Eloise, Hary Price, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and children, Leora and Frank Peace, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hull and children, Elizabeth, Kenneth and Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Miller and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Woods and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickey and son, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gray and son, Mrs. Edith Glenn and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood Barrett and two sons, and Mr. Barrett's sister, Miss Mary Barrett, of Skidmore, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Donahue and two children, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Tracy, Mrs. G. E. Brambaugh and two children, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wells and children, Mrs. Guy Hailer, G. Matter, Mrs. M. M. Curnutt and daughter, Marjorie, Miss May Howland and niece, Neva Wilkerson of Savannah, Edna O'Neal, Dr. Jessie Clark, Nellie Wray, Emma Hull, Bertha Swallow, Della Briggs, Sophia Hull and Ruth Matter.

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To Lake Okoboji.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bains and son, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Aldridge and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Alexander and Miss Marian Dawson, Mrs. Blanche James and daughter, Geraldine, all of Elmo and Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton Alexander living near Orrsburg will motor to Lake Okoboji, Ia., Friday

Knapp-Lee Nuptials.

The marriage of Miss Dora Gladys Knapp and Mr. Robert E. Lee of Elmo took place Sunday evening July 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Shelton, two and one-half miles northwest of Burlington Junction. The ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. James Campbell in the presence of about sixty guests. The ceremony took place out of doors on the lawn and the bridal party led by little Marjory Martin as lower girl took their places before a befitting background of flowers. The bride wore a dress of white georgette over messaline with veil of tulle and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas, carnations and gladiolias. Miss Ruth Jones attended the bride and wore a dress of pink chiffon over taffeta and carried a bouquet similar to the bride's. Raymond Knapp, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The Shelton home was attractively decorated in flowers, the color scheme of pink and white being carried out in all details. Following the ceremony, refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Lee left Sunday night in their car for a short honeymoon trip after which they will be at the home to their friends at Elmo.

LEAF FROM LANDLADY'S BOOK

Drummer Devised Shrewd Scheme for Putting End to Series of Petty Extortions.

"Like cures like," said Speaker Gillett, apropos of certain extortions. "Abuse may cure abuse, too.

"I once knew a drummer for a chemical firm. This drummer would visit Pottsville four or five times a year. He would arrive late in the evening at the Pottsville hotel and depart after lunch the next day. He didn't stop a full day, you see; he got no dinner; nevertheless he was always charged a full day's board.

"The extortion got on his nerves at last; so one afternoon when his bill was brought him, he took out his pad and drew up an account against the landlady for a carboy of sulphuric acid.

"'Take this to Mrs. Tompkins,' he said to the waiter, 'and ask her if she would mind settling up at once.'

"In a few minutes Mrs. Tompkins herself appeared.

"'Why,' she said to the drummer, 'I never bought any sulphuric acid from you in my life. This bill is a mistake.'

"'Neither have I ever eaten any of your dinners, ma'am,' said the drummer, 'but you charge me for them every time I come to Pottsville.'

"After that the Pottsville hotel never charged the drummer for things he hadn't had."

The Catch.

A New England spinster was much enamored of a neighboring farmer, but the affection was not returned. One day, starting on one of his weekly visits to town, the maiden came rushing out, crying:

"Yoo-hoo, Mr. Simpkins, do you mind taking me with you?"

The farmer considered warily and finally allowed her to climb in.

In vain the lady tried every topic of conversation without eliciting response and finally in desperation fell back on the passing bits of scenery. Going by the minister's house, she cried: "Oh, Mr. Simpkins, what a beautiful hitching post Pastor Watson has."

"Gol durn," cried the other cracking his whip. "I knowed there was a hitch in it somewhere. Dobbin, giddap. Ma'am, that's fer hosses only."—American Legion Weekly.

RALPH ROAD BILL PASSED BY SENATE

MEASURE CREATING HARD SURFACED HIGHWAYS TO HOUSE

COMPROMISE EXPECTED

Lower House Has Different Ideas as to Expenditure of $60,000,000—Other Measures Passed.

Jefferson City, July 13.—The Missouri senate passed a quantity of pending legislation yesterday, the most important of which was the Ralph road bill, providing for a 6,000-mile system of hard surfaced roads connecting every county in the state.

Calling up of the road bill was unexpected and followed an executive session and an announcement by Senator Gray, president pro-tem, that July 23 had been set as the date of adjournment of the senate.

The vote on the road measure was 29 to 1, Senator Chamber of Cedar county casting the only vote in the negative, and explaining that he had not had an opportunity to study the measure fully.

The bill which will be sent to the house immediately provides for a bi-partisan commission of four members to be appointed by the governor; recognizes the present state highways system of approximately 6,000 miles; fixes a minimum expenditure of $200,000 in each county; provides that the commission shall designate the type of road for contsruction in each locality; makes provision for a state patrol and maintenance of highways; provides that construction shall commence in each county at the same time; reimburses counties for money expended on roads taken over as part of the state highway system.

Another measure passed by the senate was that reducing the corporation franchise tax rate from $1 on the $1,000 valuation to 50 cents. The senate left intact, however, a section exempting the surplus from the tax down to the liabilities.

Still another bill to be disposed of by the senate was the Proctor primary election measure designating that candidates for judges of the supreme, appellate and circuit courts be nominated by delegate conventions, the delegates to be selected at the August primaries. The bill was passed by a vote of 19 to 5.

While the senate was engaged with the more important bill on its calendar the house also was busy disposing of a quantity of routine matters, that had cropped up.

House is Busy

The house passed the senate bill appropriationg $7,500 for the entertainment of Marshals Foch and Haig and other notables at the convention of the American Legion at Kansas City next October. The vote was 95 to 16.

Considerable debate over the measure developed when Representative Elmer of Dent county, dclared the bill "unconstitutional" and said he was "opposed to appropriating money to entertain foreigners whether they be French, German, English or from Hedjaz." Rep. Bagby of Howard county delivered a speech in support of the bill, citing the entertainment of Americans in foreign countries. We maintained the measure "should be passed by Americans." Representative Barnes, Jasper county, state commander of the G. A. R. opposed passage, but voted favorably on roll call.

While the road situation in the house is still somewhat nebulous, in spite of the tentative agreement upon a measure, it is believed that there is a compromise in the air, and that the message of Governor Hyde will have a good effect. It is regarded as very likely that much of the action of the house roads committee in agreeing to a tentative draft of the roads bill be reconsidered and materially altered.

One suggestion that is to be considered by the committee is by Elmer, of Dent, and was presented by Day of Texas. It provides for giving cross-county roads $45,000,000 outright of the $60,000,000 bond issue, without federal aid, and with a minimum expenditure of $275,000 guaranteed to each county.

For Five Cross-State Roads

It provides for the immediate construction of five cross-state highways for which there would be available $15,000,000 of the $60,000,000 and $35,000,000 of federal aid bonds. Construction of these five state highways which must be of a type that will make them permanent, modern roads, must begin and be prosecuted simultaneously. The five roads are numbered and outlined as follows:

No. 1—From Kansas to St. Louis.

No. 2—From Kansas City to Joplin and the Arkansas state line.

No 3—From St. Joseph to Hannibal.

No. 4—From St. Louis to Springfield.

No. 5—From St. Louis to Cape Girardeau, and thence to the Arkansas state line.

There is not stipulation made in the suggestions as to whether the Kansas City and St. Louis cross-state highway shall be north or south of the Missouri River.

DRAINAGE DITCH

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of work set out in the plan of reclamation, which includes the costs of property required for the right-of-way, holding basins and all of the other work and damages and the probable expenses of organization and administration as estimated by the board of supervisors.

The expenses are tabulated under the following heads:

Main Ditch.

181 acres taken at $112 an acre for right of way	$20,191
Fifty acres of clearing at $60 an acre	3,000
34,900 cubic yards of rock excavated at $3	104,700
485,000 cubic yards of earth at 13 cents	63,050
10,000 cubic yards of earth stripping above rocks at 15c	15,000

Lateral No. 1.

30,500 cubic yards of earth excavated at 13 cents	3,965

Lateral Number 2.

Three acres of clearing at $60 an acre $180.

6,500 cubic yards of earth excavated at 14 cents, $910.

Other Expenses.

Damages allowed by commissioners, $6,355.

Administration and legal expenses, $10,000.

Four bridges across main ditch where main ditch intersects public roads at $2,500, $10,000.

Birdge over lateral number one where same intersects road $1,000.

Right of way of laterals are figured with the main ditch.

Amount due Platte valley drainage district for irght of way and improvements already made and beginning at point in old channel of Platte river at O'Day bridge and on the west line of section 20, township 64, range 33, Nodaway county and running east 80 rods, $2,000.

Total estimated costs and damages, $240,351.00.

Those who have property which will be afected by this drainage system are: John F. Adwell, Henry Moore, Sibbie Garard, James B. Robinson, William H. Vance, Charles G. Vance, Charles T. Warehime, George Warehime, Henry McMullin, James L. McMulin, William Fryar, Emmett F. Bishop, Charles E. Bishop, Earl Heflin, John Teabey, Perry J. David, Joseph J. Smith, Lila Steiger, Anna G. Thompson, William V. Bishop, Dorsey M. Bishop, Emmett F. Bishop, Martha E. Pettijohn, Anna B. Hawk, Anson G. Bentley, Palmer J. Newberry, William T. Jackson, George S. Lawson, William T. Jackson, Lester Davis, Wm. R. Millsap, Hugh E. Judd, James W. Rhoads, Cooper Gooden, Oliver E. Smith, Ernest T. Orr, Hugh Crawford, Henry Reed, Elmer McKee, Morina M. Gooden, Samuel S. Gooden, John Spire, Elizabeth Spire, Andrew Spire, Miranda M. Ross, John Steiger, Janathan D. Gates, Howard J. Beedle, Ralph Beedle, James M. Farr, Jefferson T. Larmer, Elizabeth Larmer, George Stingley, Sarah Dryden, Zachariah A. Warden, William J. Wygal, Julia A. Sweeney, Margaret M. Sweeney, Kathryn F. Sweeney, Nellie A. Sweeney, Josie A. Sweeney, Rose B. Sweeney, Ira A. Wells, Sarah E. Hawk, John C. Day, Christopher D. Hall, Katie O. Day, William T. Jackson, Jackson Township Public William Vance, James Vance, Charles Vance, Ira A. Wells, Chicago and Great Western Railroad Company.

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NEW CHIEF JUSTICE

William Howard Taft, former President of the United States, has been appointed chief justice of the Supreme court by President Harding and confirmed by the senate. He is the ninth man to hold that high position.

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COST OF SCHOOLS OF CITY

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In the Washington bond building fund, from which the new gymnasium is being built, there is a balance of $53,849.23. The sale of the bonds and interest netted $76,036.30, and $22,181.07 has been paid for work already done.

The total of funds on hand and in the hands of the treasurer on June 30, 1921, was $66,840.87. The complete statement will be published in both Maryville papers this week.

Al Kidder of Bedison was in Maryville today.

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For Garden Bugs

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AT CHAUTAUQUA

THE GONDOLIERS, eleven artists under the personal direction of Arthur Dunham, director of the Philharmonic Orchestra of Chicago, will stage an elaborate musical production at the Chautauqua tent August 10. A Venetian scene, a Gypsy scene, and a Tourist scene, with special lighting effects will be features.

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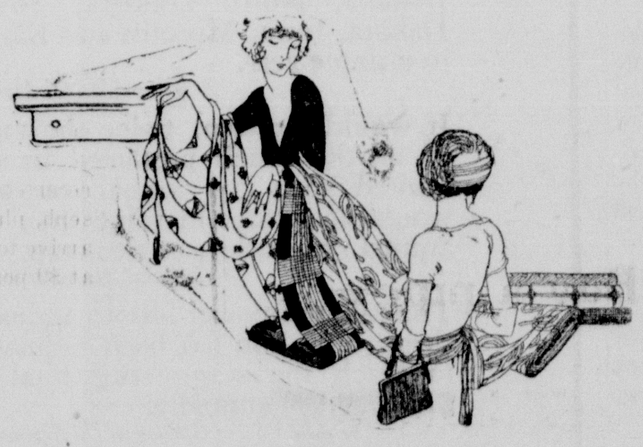

9 Cent Sale in the Downstairs Store

We have arranged a special 9 Cent Event for the last three days of this week—Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Some unusual bargains are assembled for this sale. We are also having in conjunction with this 9 Cent Sale, our mid-summer Remnant Sale.

This Special Sale will be held in the Downstairs Store.

Wash Waists	99c
Middie Blouses	99c
Play Suits	99c
Aprons	99c
Kimonos	99c
Voile and Organdie Dresses	$1.99
Lawns, assorted colors	9c
Fine Voile and Organdie Dresses, assorted styles and colors	$5.89
Dress Ginghams	19c
Summer Footwear, white and black, the pair	$1.99
Cotton and Silk Foulard	49c
Muslin and Knitted Underwear	49c
Muslin undergarments	99c
Knitted Union Suits	99c

Remnants

During the Spring and Summer selling we have accumulated a number of Remnants in good usable lengths that will be offered during this sale at a fraction of their real value. In the lots are silks, wool goods, ginghams, percales, organdies, voiles, cretonnes, nets, laces, ribbons and other piece goods.

Arranged in lots and offered at the piece for 9c, 19c, 29c, 39c, 49c, 69c, 99c, $1.29, $1.99, $2.29.

Cretonne, yard	19c
Toilet Soaps	9c
Neckwear	49c
Corsets	99c
Children's Hats	99c
Fibre Silk and Lisle Stockings, the pair	49c
Silk and Lisle Stockings, the pair	99c
Chamoisette Gloves	39c
White Wash Skirts, pique and gabardine	$1.39
White Sateen Petticoats	$1.39

There are also many other bargains arranged for easy selection.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—good washing machine and wringer; also sewing machine. Hanamo 4288. 13-14

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at the Democrat-Forum office. Lease of Farm, Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattel Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed. J5-tf

FOR SALE—Good yellow corn, 55c. per bushel at crib. Geo Cole , Hanamo 151 F. Farmers 20-14. 11-13*

FOR SALE—the B. L. Holt property, 512 Prather Ave. 16 acres of land with imporvements. To be sold at very low price in whole or part. Call at premises. Mrs.W. H. Davenport. 11-16*

FOR SALE—6 room house with barn and cave, corner of Jenkins and Fillmore. Inquire of H. W. Hull, 522 West Cooper St. 13-15*

FOR SALE—Modern house and four lots; good location. Inquire at this office. 12-14

FOR SALE—New Sharples separator at a bargain. Cash or terms. Frank Rickman, 115 West 3rd. St. 12-14.

FOR SALE—Cheap, Thirty-eight piece set of plain white haviland china. Marseilles pattern. Used only a few times. 320 West Third St. 12-14*

MISCELLANEOUS.

TURNIP SEED—Now is the time to sow them. Holt Supply Co. 13-15

This week end bargains—regulation army folding cots, extra heavy frame and 16 oz. canvass cover, $3.85; auto lunch cases, 35 cents; genuine leather lounge, $19.50; quarter oak duffold, $19.50; quarter oak davenport, $19.50; roller top, extra large kitchen cabinet, $19.50. Case Furniture Exchange. 16-16

WANTED—Second hand furniture, stoves, rugs, etc., of all kinds. Case Furniture Exchange, 208 N. Main St., Hanamo 530, Farmers 310. S27tf

WANTED—We want you to know that we have a wonderful machine that will thoroughly wash your rugs and carpets, restore the color, destroy moths and germs, making them absolutely sanitary. Satisfaction guaranteed. Hanamo 611, Hamilton Beach Cleaners. 25-tf

LOST—Heart shaped brooch, with pearl setting, between Maryville and Garham. Liberal reward. Case-Furniture Exchange. 14-16

FOR RENT—60 acres pasture, with good water. Two miles west of Maryville. Paul Sisson J8tf

TIRES-TIRES-TIRES—we have a complete stock of several makes of tires at very low prices. See us before you buy your tires and tubes. Maryville Auto Wrecking Company. J11-A6.

USED AND NEW AUTO PARTS: we have just wrecked a few late model cars and have several good used parts; also new parts for Fords and Maxwells. Maryville auto wrecking Co. J11-A6

WANTED—Washings to do. 115 N. Newton St., Han. 526. 12-14

LOST—brown hat, between Standard Oil Station and C. C. Dougherty's on July 11. Return to Corwin & Murrin. 12-14*

LOST—Small black billfold containing about $30 somewhere in town. Return to this office. 13-15*

FOR RENT—6 room house, modern except furnace at 710 East Third. call 5542 after 6 p. m. Louis Gram. 12-14*

FOUND—Ladies' coat near Orrsburg. Owner may have same by calling Dale Simmons, Orrsburg. 12-14*

Visited Here Today

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Ford and son, Wayland Jr., of Columbia and Mrs. Kenneth Coile of Oskaloosa, Iowa were visitors in Maryville today. They are visiting in Burlington Junction at the home of Mrs. Coile's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Yaple. Mrs. Coile and Mrs. Ford are both former students of the Teachers' Collegeand Mr. Ford is a former resident of Mayrville.

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MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, July 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 10,000.

HOGS—Receipts, 21,000.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,800.

St. Joseph, July 13.—CATTLE—Receipts, 2,000; steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 8,000; top, $9.55; steady.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,500.

LOCAL MARKETS

Eggs, per dozen	21c
Hens, per lb	18c
Springs, per lb	23c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Butterfat, per lb	28c

HOME CONFECTIONE FILL FREQUENT CANDY DEMAND

Occasionally it happens that a jelly is too stiff or "tough" for the housekeeper to be proud of, for table use. As a confection, cut up in blocks and dipped in the sweet chocolate that comes for the purpose, the unsatisfactory jelly is more than redeemed, suggest home economics specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. Figs, dates, raisins, nuts, and marshmallows can also be dipped in chocolate to make wholesome confections for the children. Sweets of this kind are espcially good as surprise s in the monotonous school lunch box.

Another quickly made home sweet may be had when berries are in season. Firm berries, such as whole strawberries, black raspberries, black berries and also pieces of pineapple, or other fairly firm fruit are excellent when dipped in white icing or fondant, if they may be served within three or four hours. Here is a suggestion for "a little something" to serve with lemonade or grape juice at a club meeting.

BREAD AND MILK RESTORE TIRED NERVES AND MUSCLES

A good, old fashioned bowl of bread and milk, says the Dairy Division of the United States Department of Agriculture, is the very best restorative at the end of a hard day's work. On a cold night the bread may be dropped into hot milk, enough to wet it thoroughly, with just a suspicion of salt for flavor. In England's damp climate bread and milk is the first thought after a tramp or a day in the open. Almost every brain worker, whether student or professor, doctor, preacher, or business man, knows the refreshing tonic of a steaming bowl of bread and milk. Most children like it, and nothing could be better for them at bedtime or for lunch. When the older ones eat precooked crisp breakfast food, baby may have bread and milk for a change. It is a good emergency supper, too, for the younger ones, when there is not time for thorough cooking of wheat or oatmeal cereal.

Lowry's Letter

Under the above heading for an indefinate time, may be found each day some items we believe should be of interest to the readers of this paper.

We have just passed through a very busy time for practically all of us. Hardly a farmer but has had more or less of harvest work and it has been our privilege to assist a great many by furnishing machine parts and supplies.

This morning A. B. Dowden of the Myrtle Tree Threshing Co., northeast of Maryville and John Schneider, Jr. of Barnard were in for a supply of belting, lace leather etc.

Threshermen from all over Nodaway county and some from surrounding counties have found that we carry the only complete line of leather, canvas and rubber belting in northwest Missouri, and come here when they need supplies of that kind.

Just now we are making some very attractive prices on farm and truck wagons, also extra boxes.

We have a three inch Birdsell wagon at $100.00, steel wheel truck, wagon with clipped gear and trussed axle at $45.00 and extra boxes at $27.50.

Yours truly,

HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT CO. LOWRY MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CHILDREN RECITE BIBLE PASSAGES

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Protestant church in Maryville was represented.

The aim of the school was not to secure big numbers, according to the Rev. Mr. Allison. In fact that would have seriously endangered the success of the school, for the first year it is always difficult to secure adequate equipment, and to handle the situation with a faculty lacking previous Vacation School experience. The aim was rather to render a real service to all the children who would come, irrespective of denomination.

The faculty that made the school possible, was composed of the Rev. S. P. Allison and Miss Ora Eckles in the Junior-Intermediate department; Miss Laura Craig, Miss Luey Allen, Miss Lorena Gault and Miss Grace Dietz in the Primary department and Miss Mary Lewis and Miss Katherine Gray in the Kindergarten. Miss Gault was the secretary of the school. Miss Mary MacLeod, in charge of Physical Education for women at the college, had complete charge of the recreation and health work. Often she brought members of her classes to assist, and so to gain practical work in application of theories being studied.

"It is the folks who assisted, to whom credit for the success of the school should go," said Mr. Allison.

The cast of the dramtization of the story of Queen Esther was as follows;

The King—John Henry Heath.
Queen Esther—Beulah May White.
Mordicai—Edwin Wood.
Haman—Ford Bradley.
Princes—William Person, Peter Harry Dietz.
Servants — Shirley Bennett, Ruth Payne, Iola Hull.
Queens Attendant—Helen Davis.
Maidens—Lucille Leeson, Virginia Bennett, Marjorie Payne, Marie Davis.
Courtiers—Dorothy Glenn, Elizabeth Edwards, Mildred Hotchkin.
Scene shifters—Walter Mutz, Edward Dietz.

The Roll of the School includes the following children:

Junior-Intermediate—Margaret Obermier, Mary Frances Lasell, Margaret Staples, Charles Helimers, Herman Carstens, Frederick DeMoss, Thelma Stephenson, Emma May Yeo, Beverly A. Martin, Henrietta Hildreth, Edward Dietz, Marian Gann, Noreen White, Martha Curfman, Leroy Henry Harry Wilson, Ralph Hotchkin, Frank Tindall, Paris Phipps, Clarence Lloyd, Beatrice Hawkins, Walter Mutz, Gertrude Curfman, Virginia Curfman, Doris Wallace, Lola Shirrell, Frances Payne.

Primary—Dorothy Glenn, Beluah May White, Elizabeth Edwards, Virginia Bennett DeLoris Gray, Clara May Freeze, William Person, Peter Harry Dietz, Fred Bradley, Shirley Louise Bennett, Helen Davis, Kenneth Leeson, Lucile Leeson, Betty Helmers, John Henry Heath, Ruth Vivian Payne, Marjorie Payne, Howard Wray, Jane Curfman, Edwin Wood Mildred Hotchkin, Marie Davis Iola Hull.

Kindergarten—Paul Person, Gray Carpenter, George Curfman, Virginia Miller, Rebert Phipps, Harold Davis, Frank Spencer, Harold Person, Mildred Payne, Sybil Mitchell, Russell Mitchell, Joe Randall Lois Hull, Roger Sage, Frederick French, Aurene Spencer, Joseph Paul Aley, Elizabeth DeMoss.

EMPLOYER DON'T WANT BOBBED HAIR VAMPS

New York, July 10.—The campaign against bobbed hair and "ertemporaneous blondes" in the business world is in full swing throughout the country, and, in addition, many big employers have issued ukases against the following:

Transparent waists.
Low necks.
Knee-length skirts.
Rolled stockings.
Drug store complexions.

This was revealed here today by Mrs. Alice Leary, who as head of the Leary Employment Agency, annually passes on the fitness of thousands of girls for office work.

"When a girl applies for a position office managers ask her to remove her hat", Mrs. Leary asid. "If she discloses bobbed hair or peroxided tresses her chances for a job are gone.

"Girls with vamp costumes, a crazy headdress, transparent waist and rolled stockings—why men employes can't keep their minds or eyes on their work."—The Globe-Democrat.

Miss Vera Van Camp of Bedford was a business visitor in Maryville yesterday.

PRIMA DONNA DEFENDS AMERICAN POPULAR MUSIC

Miss Carmen Pascova, Who Sings Here During Chautauqua, Says Jazz Hasl ts Place.

Miss Carmen Pascova, the noted Australian grand opera singer of the Chicago Opera Association and the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua circuit, who will sing at Maryville on the fourth day of Chautauqua, came out strong as a champoin of American popular music, in a telegraphic interview, in the New York Globe, recently. The famous singing beauty, who is now touring the middle west, says:

"I think all music is good and that even rag time and jazz are entitled to their place in the sun.

'It is my humble opinion that a good way to interest the masses in music of the higher order is to start them off with the simple popular music, which they understand. I have observed that it is an easy matter to change a lover of plebian music into a lover of first-class music.

"Once a person acquires a real love for any kind of music, he or she, possibly without realizing it, will seek out the best there is in music and, eventually, learn to appreciate the classics.

"Personally, I don't like rag-time jazz, but even I am forced to admit that there must be something worth while about it; otherwise how could it have such a vogue in this super-intelligent country? It must have its good points and I, for one, think the misguided 'high brows' who dam popular music morning, noon and night, almost as foolish as the people who ridicule grand opera.

"What the music world needs, right now, in my estimation, is a first class press agent who can spread the doctrine of musical toleration, bring the warring factions together and make both sides recognize and acknowledge the good there is in each other."

To Rebuild Belleau

Belleau, the little French village on the edge of the Belleau Wood foothills, is to be rebuilt by Americans as a memorial to the American dead in that historic battle.

C. C. Corwin spent yesterday in St. Joseph on business.

Red Cross Has Disaster Kits.

The Red Cross has developed a disaster census card to be used by relief workers in cases of disaster. "Disaster kits" are now provided all Red Cross division offices and contain all sorts of supplies, record forms, badges, telegraph blanks and other essentials which may be needed in an emergency, for setting up relief headquarters with least possible delay.

For Child Protection.

A royal decree has been issued in Belgium for the calling of an international congress for the protection of children. The question of establishing an international office for child protection is to be discussed.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

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Friction-the Pickpocket of Industry

IF the loss to industry through unnecessary friction could be entirely eliminated, it would mean a saving of sufficient money to pay off the combined state debt of Illinois, Indiana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas in a single year.

—(*Moody's Manual*)

It would represent twice the value of all the vessels produced in the United States in a normal year, and would be greater in value than the annual rye, barley, or rice crop.

—(*Statistical Abstract of U. S.*)

The value of power lost to industry through friction has been estimated to reach the staggering total of $185,000,000 annually.

—(*Industrial Oil Engineering*)

Realizing that friction is an undesirable partner of industry, and feeling its obligation as the leader among manufacturers of lubricants, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has for years maintained a staff of lubricating engineers and lubricating chemists, whose business it has been to consult with industrial engineers to solve for them their individual lubricating problems as they are presented.

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A few pairs of men's white canvas Oxfords, white rubber sole and heel at	$1.75